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BLAINA & DISTRICT HOSPITAL  
AND  
CONVALESCENT HOME



STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS

AND

LIST OF PATIENTS TREATED

FROM

*March 31st, 1928 to March 31st, 1929.*



*Consulting Surgeon and Surgeon for In-Patients :*  
MR. JOHN DUNLOP, M.B., C.N.B., ED., F.R.C.S., ED.  
*Attendances Tuesday in each week.*

*Ear, Nose and Throat Department :*  
Mr. J. A. LEE, M.B., C.M., F.R.C.S. (EDIN.)  
*Attendances arranged for.*

*Ophthalmic Department :*  
MR. R. J. COULTER, M.A., M.B., F.P.C.S.I.  
*Attendances arranged for.*

*Dental Department :*  
MR. W. S. HAZELL, L.D.S., R.C.S. (ENG.)  
*Attendances Monday in each week,*

*House Surgeon and Skiagraphist :*  
DR. J. H. VERWEY, M.B., B.CH., (ED.)

*Anæsthetist :*  
DR. M. F. DONOVAN, M.B., B.CH., B.A.O., R.U.I.

*Medical Staff :*  
DR. W. FARRINGTON, M.B., B.CH., B.A.O., R.U.I.  
DR. J. J. MINEHAN, L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S. (ED.),  
L.R.F.P.S. (GLAS.)

DR. J. B. CARLIN, M.B., B.CH., B.A.O., N.U.I.

DR. A. L. JONES, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (LOND.)

*Matron*

MISS A. A. LEE.

*Honorary Solicitor*

MR. L. A. WALLEN.

*Bankers*

LLOYD'S BANK, LTD.

*Treasurer*

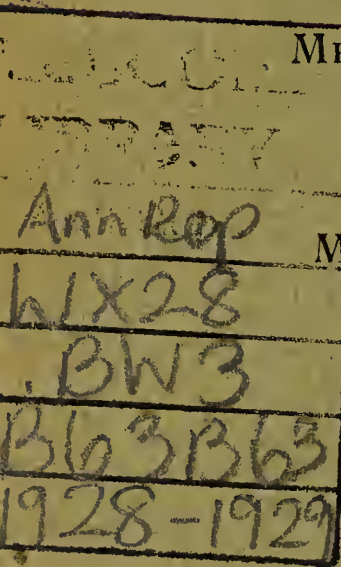
COUNCILLOR JOHN L. ADAMS.

*Secretary*

JAMES PITMAN, C.C.

*Assistant Secretary*

MR. C. W. EDWARDS.



# ANNUAL REPORT of the Board of Management.

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LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,

IN presenting the Nineteenth Annual Report & Statement of Accounts, the Board desire to tender their thanks to the Subscribers and Donators for their support through the year.

During the year 320 persons have been treated as In-Patients :—

Discharged cured	...	...	204
Discharged Improved	...	...	63
Result not recorded	...	...	20
Died	..	...	9
Remaining in Hospital, March 31st, 1929			24
Number of Operations, In-Patients...	...	...	202
Number of Patients X-Rayed	...	...	248
Number of Plates taken	..	...	260
Number of Patients Violet-Rayed	...	...	15
Number of Applications, Violet-Rays	...	...	340
Number of Accidents admitted	...	...	76
Number of Anæsthetics given	...	...	262

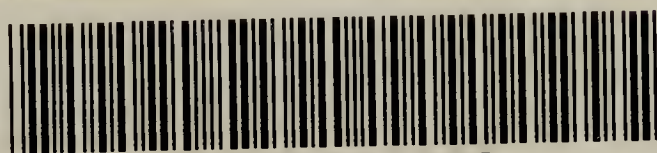
## OUT-PATIENTS.

Number of Patients for Massage	...	...	...	46
Number of Treatments	...	...	...	792
Number of Patients for Electrical Treatment	...	...	...	16
Number of Treatments	...	...	...	107
Casualties treated in Out-Patient Department...	...	...	...	120
Number of Daily Attendances	...	...	...	640
Operations for removal of Tonsils and Adenoids	...	...	...	52
Number of Consultations—Mr. Dunlop	..	...	...	402
Mr. Coulter	...	...	...	255
Mr. Lee	...	...	...	152

Mr. Hazell, Dental Surgeon :—

Patients	...	...	...	1062
Number of Attendances	...	...	...	1520
Teeth extracted	...	..	...	3820

The total number of persons having received treatment as In or Out-Patients, or advice given in consultation with the Surgeons were : 2624.



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The number of days maintenance of Patients were ... 7889  
 The number of days maintenance of Staff were ... 4227  
 Total number of days maintenance, Patients and Staff 12116  
 The average daily number of Patients in Hospital were 21.124  
 The average number of days duration of each case was 24.209  
 The average daily cost of Provisions for Patients and Staff  
 has been  $1/9\frac{1}{4}$ .

	£	s.	d.
Cost per Bed in Hospital ...	121	13	8
Cost per occupied Bed ...	140	11	6
Cost per Patient ...	9	13	3
Cost per week ...	2	14	10

Looking through the Statement of Accounts you will observe that we have received a large amount of assistance, and there are a number of people to whom we owe special thanks; Miss Brodigan, of the Greyladies' College, London, who launched the "save the Hospital Appeal" in 1926, which realized over £1,500, has again come forward with a donation of £300, for which the Board of Management are grateful, and we feel sure the same can be said for all the people of the District.

Mr. Bernhard Baron, who sent a cheque for £500, and his son Louis Baron, who sent a cheque for £100. In addition to this a cheque for £100 was received from Mr. Danbury, Mr. Baron's Secretary, on Mr. Baron's birthday from the Bernhard Baron Charitable Trust.

The Right Hon. Thomas Richards, Mr. Finlay A. Gibson and Captain Mason for their services in securing the grants from the Miners' Welfare Fund; had we failed to secure this very substantial assistance, we fear to think what might have happened to the Institution we are all so proud of.

Others who have given assistance in various ways are:

Mr. Frank Hodges.

George Barker, J.P., M.P.

Sir Frederick Mills, Bart.

Col. D. Watts Morgan, D.S.O., M.P.

The Blue Pilgrims.

Mr. Percy Scott for the Society of Friends.

Mr. S. M. Collins, M.E.

Mr. R. H. P. Orde, Director, British Red Cross Society,  
and of the Order of St. John.

This year the Ladies started egg week, and 5,000 eggs were collected and over £7 in money. We intend this to be an annual event, and desire to thank all who helped to make the first effort such an outstanding success.



The staff and scholars of the Elementary and Secondary Schools of Blaina, Nantyglo, Brynmawr and Clydach have, with the Brick Ballot, and assisting in all the local efforts, rendered very valuable service throughout the year.

Negotiations have been opened with the Directors of the Ebbw Vale Steel, Iron & Coal Company for supply of coal on preferential terms, and supply of Electric current for lighting the Hospital, and for X-Ray and Ultra Violet Light treatments, and the Committee have agreed to pay for providing and laying the cable at an estimated cost of five hundred pounds.

The Ladies' Linen League have supplied all the Linen required during the year, this help is appreciated. The Annual Hospital Dance organised by the Ladies' Dance Committee under the supervision of Mrs. Pitman, was a social and financial success.

The thanks of the Committee are due, and are hereby tendered to Mr. Parry Jones for providing the Concert, giving his services free. You can see result in the Annual Statement.

To all who have assisted in any way during the year, those who have solicited aid, and those who have given which has made such an encouraging report possible, the Board tender sincere thanks.

The Patients wish to again thank the Rev. W. T. Davies, Pastor of Hope Chapel, Blaina, who conducted a religious service on Christmas morning, and all the artistes who provided entertainment for them during the Christmas season.

Plants for the grounds and flowers for the Ward to the value of £44 have been supplied from the gardens of the Convalescent Home.

The Board tender their thanks to the Medical and Surgical Staffs for their devotion to the welfare of the Patients, and to the Matron, the Nursing and Domestic Staff for loyal service through another year.

On behalf of the Board of Management,

Yours sincerely,

JAMES PITMAN,

Secretary.



# STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS from

	RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
(1) Subscriptions :—							
Beynon Colliery	...	688	4	11			
Clydach Colliery	...	128	9	5			
Roseheyworth Colliery	...	558	2	11			
West Blaina Red Ash Colliery	...	31	16	4			
Co-operative Employees, Blaina	...	67	10	7			
Co-operative Employees, Brynmawr		5	19	1			
Nantyglo & Blaina Council Employees		44	3	0			
Nantyglo & Blaina Council Staff	...	13	14	0			
Nantyglo & Blaina Teachers' Ass'tion		199	17	7			
Blaenavon Co's. Llanelly Hill Workmen		477	2	5			
Great Western Railway Employees...		34	11	0			
Six Bells Trainmen	...	84	12	0			
New Duffryn Colliery	...	3	0	0			
Insurance Agents	...	25	15	1			
Refuge Insurance Staff	...	13	8	1			
Gwalia Boot Factory	...	11	11	6			
Blaina & Nantyglo Police Officers	...	18	10	2			
Mr. Wm. Weeks' Staff	...	13	14	2			
Blaina Gas Works Employees	...	28	13	10			
Nantyglo Ballast Works	...	43	1	1			
Checkweighers	...	1	2	8			
Clydach Quarrymen	...	10	1	10			
Mr. J. E. Davies, Connop Stores' Staff		13	8	7			
Mr. B. A. James' Staff	...	6	0	0			
Blaina Post Office Staff	...	3	13	4			
Brynmawr Chamber of Trade	...	52	10	0			
Meadow Dairy Co's. Staff	...	3	0	2			
Old Coke Yard Colliery	...	4	3	4			
Lipton's Stores	...	2	1	4			
Blaina Assistant Relieving Officers	...	8	16	2			
Rising Sun Brewery Staff	...	3	18	0			
Griffin Motor Company's Staff	...	100	0	0			
Blaina Labour Exchange Staff	...	3	0	0			
Cardiff Road Workmen	...	2	11	6			
Cashmore's Workmen	...	0	12	0			
Mr. B. W. Davies' Workmen	...	8	7	1			
East Side Red Ash	...	1	7	3			
Beynon Colliery Unemployed	...	157	10	10			
Brynmawr & District Unemployed	..	84	0	10			
Blaina Unemployed	...	34	0	0			
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Carried forward	...	2992	2	1			

**March 31st, 1928, to March 31st, 1929.**

EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Provisions :—							
Bread	...	64	5	6			
Meat—1 ton, 14 cwt.	...	262	10	2			
Groceries	...	250	18	10			
Vegetables and Fruit	...	182	9	11			
Fish and Poultry	...	36	3	8			
Butter— $9\frac{3}{4}$ cwt. 20 lb.	...	94	13	4			
Bacon— $14\frac{1}{4}$ cwt. 2 lb.	...	120	18	8			
Milk—1025 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons	...	101	12	7			
					1113	12	8
Surgery and Dispensary :—							
Drugs, Chemicals, Disinfectants	...	60	17	0			
Dressings and Bandages	...	55	16	1			
Anæsthetics	...	67	16	0			
Methylated and Rectified Spirit	...	10	2	0			
Instruments and Appliances	...	14	6	5			
Skiagraphy and Photography	...	25	10	1			
Foods, Medicated and Prepared	...	7	10	0			
Wines and Spirits	...	2	16	0			
Repairs to Instruments	...	8	17	10			
Appliances for Patients	...	19	12	3			
					273	3	8
Domestic :—							
Furniture	...	12	0	0			
Linen and Haberdashery	...	6	8	2			
Laundry	...	160	18	1			
Cleaning and Repairs	...	20	10	0			
Hardware, Brushes, Crockery	...	21	8	11			
					221	5	2
Carried forward		..			£1608	1	6

# Receipts—continued.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Brought forward</i> ...	2992	2	1			
Roseheyworth Unemployed ...	35	18	4			
Tredegar Unemployed ...	14	11	5			
Unemployed Examiners ...	2	5	0			
Brynmawr Assistant Relieving Officers	2	0	0			
Brynmawr Urban Council Employees	16	14	1			
				3063	10	11

## (2) Annual Subscribers :—

Mr. Edwin T. Jones	...	2	2	0		
„ Alfred Greaves	...	2	2	0		
„ W. G. Morgan	...	2	2	0		
„ B. W. Davies	...	4	4	0		
„ W. C. Hales	...	2	2	0		
„ John Jones	...	2	2	0		
„ Robert White	...	2	2	0		
„ Edgar Cook	...	2	2	0		
„ W. H. Harris	...	2	2	0		
„ Samuel Hollister, M.E.	...	2	2	0		
„ William Allen	...	2	0	0		
„ William Dunn, C.C.	...	2	2	0		
„ Thomas H. Hopkins	...	2	2	0		
„ Rees Bancroft	...	2	12	6		
„ Evan Silk, M.A., L.L.B.	...	2	2	0		
„ Edward Jones	...	2	2	0		
„ Thomas Godwin	...	2	2	0		
„ Gwilym James	...	4	4	0		
„ William Lewis	...	2	2	0		
„ John Hawkins	...	2	2	0		
„ George Crook	...	2	2	0		
„ T. M. Bush	...	2	2	0		
„ Joseph Podgur	...	2	2	0		
„ W. Bythell	...	2	2	0		
„ Alfred Hill	...	2	2	0		
„ W. Clarke	...	2	2	0		
„ John Jukes	...	2	2	0		
„ Thomas Evans	...	2	2	0		
„ Watcyn Watkins	...	2	2	0		
„ Matthew Blewitt	...	2	2	0		
„ Fred Guarino	...	2	2	0		
Mrs. Trapnell	...	2	2	0		
„ Fisher	...	2	2	0		
<i>Carried forward</i> ...	73	18	6	3063	10	11



## Expenditure—continued.

		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Brought forward</i>	...				1608	1	6
<b>Lighting and Heating :—</b>							
Coal—136 Tons	...	150	5	6			
Coke—82 tons, 7 cwt.	...	121	6	5			
Hauling	...	4	10	0			
Petrol and Petroleum	...	138	14	2			
Lubricating Oil	...	13	13	0			
Renewal of Lamps	...	7	2	0			
Fittings and Repairs	...	21	11	6			
Firewood	...	2	0	0			
					459	2	7
<b>Establishment :—</b>							
Rates and Taxes, Hospital	...	1	10	9			
Rates and Taxes, Convalescent Home		57	9	11			
Insurance against Fire	...	27	3	6			
Insurance against Accident	...	7	5	10			
Insurance, Ambulance and Passengers		21	0	0			
Tithe Rent, Convalescent Home	...	8	11	5			
Health Insurance	...	28	18	5			
Telephones	...	24	17	5			
Seeds, Plants, Fertilizers	...	14	4	3			
Annual Cleaning and Repairs	...	12	6	0			
					203	7	6
<b>Salaries and Wages :—</b>							
House Surgeon	...	195	0	0			
Consulting Surgeon and Surgeon for In-Patients	...	200	0	0			
Ophthalmic Surgeon	...	73	10	0			
Aural Surgeon	...	48	6	0			
Dental Surgeon	...	68	5	0			
Anæsthetist	...	79	4	0			
<i>Carried forward</i>	...	£664	5	0	2270	11	7

# Receipts—continued.

		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Brought forward</i>	...	73	18	6	3063	10	11
Mrs. Davies	...	2	2	0			
„ Williams	...	2	2	0			
„ James	...	2	2	0			
Miss M. G. Hughes	...	2	2	0			
Mr. Enoch Evans	...	2	2	0			
„ Alfred Jones	...	2	2	0			
„ Robert Wellington	...	2	2	0			
„ John L. Adams	...	2	2	0			
„ Leonard Murray	...	2	2	0			
„ Dan J. Davies	...	2	2	0			
„ Richard James	...	2	2	0			
„ Bert Radford	..	1	18	4			
Mrs. Davies	...	1	17	6			
Mr. C. S. Thomas	...	1	11	6			
„ Thomas Lewis	...	1	7	6			
„ John Holdaway	...	1	5	0			
„ Caleb Lewis	...	1	1	0			
„ Arthur Brown	...	1	1	0			
„ Samuel Davies	...	1	1	0			
„ Benjamin Short	...	1	1	0			
Mrs. Morgan	...	1	1	0			
Mr. W. O. Parry	...	1	0	10			
„ R. Cooksey	...	1	0	0			
„ W. Cooksey	...	1	0	0			
„ C. A. Haysom	...	0	19	0			
„ T. Hopkins	...	0	16	0			
„ Glyn Rees	...	0	15	6			
„ E. T. Morgan	...	0	13	0			
„ D. W. Burrows	...	0	10	6			
„ George Lloyd	...	0	10	0			
„ John Davies	...	0	10	0			
Mrs. Gore	...	0	10	0			
Other Subscribers of less than 10/-	...	2	12	1			
					121	2	3

## (3) Donations:—

Blaina & District Farmers' Association	1	1	0
D. F. Pilkington, Esq.	3	3	0
Mrs. Annie Evans	5	0	0
Mr. George Barker, M.P.	1	1	0
Brynmawr Free Church Council	3	13	9

*Carried forward*

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## Expenditure—continued.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Brought forward</i> ..	664	5	0	2270	11	7
Nursing Staff ...	410	8	4			
Domestic Staff ...	154	10	0			
Caretaker and Porter ...	260	0	0			
Ambulance Driver and Mechanic ...	221	0	0			
Gardener & help, Convalescent Home	195	0	0			
				1905	3	4
<b>Administration :—</b>						
Secretary ...	270	0	0			
Treasurer ...	0	1	0			
Printing ...	51	6	6			
Stationery ...	14	19	0			
Postages and Telegrams ...	21	0	7			
Advertisements ...	5	19	0			
Cheques and Loan Charges ..	63	16	1			
Carriage on Goods ...	9	1	2			
Hire of Halls ...	1	14	6			
Auditors' Fees ...	2	0	0			
				439	17	10
<b>Other Expenditure—</b>						
Painting inside and outside Hospital	469	16	0			
Hairdresser ...	12	1	4			
Newspapers ...	5	12	0			
Gramophone ...	27	0	0			
Repairs, Gale damage ...	62	16	1			
Treatment special cases, other Hospitals	21	0	0			
Appeals, Incidental Expenses ...	15	0	0			
Collecting Expenses ...	10	0	0			
Deputations ...	14	0	0			
Replacing parts for Engine, lighting plant ...	40	1	5			
				677	6	10
Total Expenditure ...				5292	19	7
Income in excess of Expenditure for year ...				1938	9	9
				£7231	9	4



## Receipts—continued.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Brought forward</i> ...	13	18	9	3184	13	2
Mr. George Daggar ...	1	1	0			
Miss Kathleen Jenkins ...	1	1	0			
Mr. Norman Griffiths ...	1	1	0			
The Directors, Blaina Gas Company	10	10	0			
Mr. M. Samson ...	1	1	0			
Calvary Baptist Church, Brynmawr	0	17	0			
Central Spiritualist Church ...	0	4	8			
Blaina & Dist. Allotment Association	14	16	2			
Sir Alfred Mond, M.P. ...	50	0	0			
Wm. Harrison, Esq., Chairman United Newspapers, per Mr. Frank Hodges	50	0	0			
Cwmtilerry & Roseheyworth Medical Committee ...	7	7	0			
Berhard Baron, Esq., Birthday Gift	100	0	0			
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### (4) Investments :—

Rent of Land, Hospital ...	3	3	0			
Rent of Land, Convalescent Home ...	60	0	0			
Rent of Cottages, Convalescent Home	98	4	0			
Vegetables and Fruit sold to Hospital from Convalescent Home ...	141	4	4			
Other Sales, Fruit and Vegetables ...	11	11	4			
Rent, Tennis Court, Convalescent Home ...	5	5	0			
Mon. County Council, right of user...	50	0	0			
Dividend and Interest, Co-op. Society	11	12	6			
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### (5) Other Receipts :—

Miss Ina Brodigan ...	300	0	0			
Loyal Order of Moose, Brynmawr ...	3	0	0			
Harlequin Rugby Football Club ...	1	10	0			
Loyal Order of Moose, Abertillery ...	2	2	0			
Bon Marche, Abertillery, Staff Dance	5	5	0			
Bernhard Baron, Esq. ...	500	0	0			
Louis Baron, Esq. ...	100	0	0			
Elementary Schools, Brick Ballot ...	51	7	6			
The Parry Jones' Concert ...	49	13	2			

<i>Carried forward...</i>	1012	17	8	3817	10	11
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# Expenditure—continued.

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*Brought forward—*

Total Expenditure	...	...	£7231	9	4
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<i>Carried forward</i> — Total Expenditure	...	£7231	9	4
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# Receipts—continued.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Brought forward</i> ...	1012	17	8	3817	10	11
Whist Drive and Dance, Llanelly Hill, per Mr. Ivor Bosley ...	5	0	0			
Annual Hospital Dance ..	40	16	0			
Miss Parkes, Sale of Silver Paper ...	1	1	0			
Mr. E. Bush, Christmas Draw ...	2	2	0			
Private Patients' fees ...	5	5	0			
Miners' Welfare Fund Emergency grant ...	250	0	0			
Grant to pay sundry creditors ...	1100	0	0			
Grant to Painting Hospital ..	470	0	0			
Grant earned by Committee ...	500	0	0			
Miss Brodigan—gift for Patients ...	5	0	0			
Total of unplaced amounts paid Bank ...	21	16	9			
				3413	18	5

Total Receipts ... £7231 9 4



**Expenditure**—*continued.*

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			£	s.	d.
<i>Brought forward—</i>					
Total Expenditure	...	...	7231	9	4

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£7231 9 4

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# BALANCE SHEET.

Liabilities.		Assets.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Loan with Lloyds Bank ...	471 9 0	Share Capital, Co-operative Society...	101 5 8
Due to Co-operative Society	155 0 0	On Deposit, C.W.S. Bankers ...	25 7 10
Overdrawn, Current Account	100 18 8	Deficit ...	600 14 2
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	£727 7 8		£727 7 8
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Audited and found correct,—

RICHARD FARRELL,  
JOHN OWENS, } Auditors.

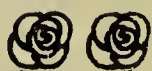




# Blaina and District Hospital and Convalescent Home.



THE ANNUAL MEETING of Subscribers  
will be held at the OLD TOWN HALL,  
Beaufort Street, Brynmawr, on Saturday, June  
8th, 1929, at 7 p.m.



## AGENDA :

1. To read and confirm the Minutes of last Meeting.
2. To receive the Annual Report and Statement of Accounts.
3. To appoint four Lady Members to serve on the Board of Management from the following Districts :—

BRYNMAWR	...	1
NANTYGLO	...	1
BLAINA	...	1
ABERTILLERY	...	1
4. To appoint a Treasurer.
5. To appoint an Assistant Secretary.

ack 30<sup>th</sup> 10. Mr. Dayley  
Rec'd 13.

Div. VA

Annual Reports of Voluntary Hospitals.

1. Name of Hospital Blairia District  
Hospital Blairia, Mo.

2. A copy of the Annual Report(s) for 192 7  
1928  
1929

~~is~~  
\_\_\_\_\_ enclosed herewith.  
are

3. A copy of the Annual Report for each

future year will be forwarded on publication.

Signed James Pittman

(Secretary or other  
responsible officer  
of the Hospital).

